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**I AM NOT YOUR NEGRO – THE JAMES BALDWIN DOCUMENTARY**

**\_\_\_\_\_1. What three friends of the writer James Baldwin were murdered during the 1960s?**

A. John F. Kennedy, Robert F. Kennedy, and Martin Luther King, Jr.

B. Medgar Evers, Martin Luther King, Jr., and Malcolm X.

C. Medgar Evers, Jimmie Lee Jackson, and James Chaney.

D. Michael Schwerner, James Chaney, and Andrew Goodman.

**\_\_\_\_\_2. What had James Baldwin titled the thirty pages of notes he had recorded prior to his death in 1979?**

A. *Set This House on Fire*

B. *Giovanni’s Room*

C. *The Fire Next Time*

D. *Remember This House*

**\_\_\_\_\_3. How old was Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in 1955, when he accepted leadership of the organization promoting the Montgomery Bus Boycott?**

A. 39

B. 35

C. 29

D. 26

**“PAYING MY DUES”**

**\_\_\_\_\_4. What was the name of the young woman who integrated the public schools in Charlotte, North Carolina, - prompting Baldwin to state, “someone of us should have been there with her!”**

A. Dorothy Counts

B. Ruby Bridges

C. Elizabeth Eckford

D. Earnest Green

**\_\_\_\_\_5. Although he claimed not to miss the United States as a whole, what place – his hometown – did James Baldwin miss?**

A. Norfolk, Virginia

B. Harlem, New York

C. St. Louis, Missouri

D. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

**“HEROES”**

**\_\_\_\_\_6. What did James Baldwin’s grade school teacher – a woman named Bill Miller – do to inspire him as a young person?**

A. She gave him books to read.

B. She taught about the conflict

between Italy and Ethiopia.

C. She took him to films and plays.

D. All of the above.

**\_\_\_\_\_7. James Baldwin did not consider this character a “hero” because he did not take vengeance into his own hands:**

A. King Kong

B. John Wayne

C. Uncle Tom

D. The Jazz Singer

**\_\_\_\_\_8. When he states, “We made a legend out of a massacre,” what American crime is James Baldwin referencing?**

A. segregation

B. lynchings in the American South

C. the genocide of American Indians

D. the genocide of the slave trade.

**\_\_\_\_\_9. Where does Baldwin plan on going and who will he visit with during his research trip to the American South?**

A. Medgar Evers wife and children.

B. Birmingham and Selma, Alabama.

C. Martin Luther King, Jr.’s family.

D. Betty Shabazz and Malcolm X’s kids.

E. All of the above are on the itinerary.

**“WITNESS”**

**\_\_\_\_\_10. Who was seated in the front row of a lecture James Baldwin delivered the first time he met him in his native New York City, paying careful attention to his speech and making Baldwin nervous?**

A. Malcolm X

B. Asa Philip Randolph

C. John Lewis

D. Stokely Carmichael

**\_\_\_\_\_11. Which of the following organizations did James Baldwin have membership in?**

A. The Black Panther Party

B. The Black Muslims or Nation of Islam

C. Assorted Christian denominations

D. The NAACP

E. All of the Above

F. None of the Above

**\_\_\_\_\_12. What did James Baldwin consider his greatest contribution to the Civil Rights Movement?**

A. Voter Registration Drives

B. Organizing Sit-Ins at Lunch Counters

C. Fundraising

D. Witnessing and Writing



**\_\_\_\_\_13. What agency kept a file on James Baldwin because he was a prominent writer about racial conflict in America and a suspected homosexual?**

A. Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)

B. Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

C. Department of Homeland Security

D. The Moral Majority

**\_\_\_\_\_14. Baldwin claimed that many white Americans wanted to believe that the protests and police brutality which took place in this city were actually happening on Mars:**

A. Albany, Georgia

B. Nashville, Tennessee

C. Jackson, Mississippi

D. Los Angeles, California

E. Birmingham, Alabama

**\_\_\_\_\_15. Who, while being interviewed by Dr. Kenneth Clark, criticized the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and ministers who advocated for non-violence for victimizing African-American people in the South?**

A. Stokely Carmichael

B. James Baldwin

C. Malcolm X

D. John Lewis

**\_\_\_\_\_16. What insult did Malcolm X hurl at Martin Luther King, Jr., while on stage with James Baldwin?**

A. He called him a “false prophet.”

B. He claimed he was a philanderer.

C. He called him an “Uncle Tom.”

D. He claimed he feared whites.



**\_\_\_\_\_17. According to James Baldwin, whose burden did Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. pick up after he was assassinated in 1965?**

A. Stokely Carmichael

B. Medgar Evers

C. Malcolm X – El Hajj Malik al-Shabazz

D. James Meredith

**\_\_\_\_\_18. What phrase did Malcolm X use in order to describe the methods which should be used in order to fight against white supremacists and White Power Nazis in the United States during the 1960s?**

A. “Love Conquers Hatred.”

B. “By Any Means Necessary.”

C. “Black Power.”

D. “Black Lives Matter.”

**\_\_\_\_\_19. Where did rioting and standoffs against the police take place after the shooting of Michael Brown, an unarmed African-American, by a police officer?**

A. Baltimore, MD

B. Ferguson, MO

C. Harlem, NY

D. Watts, Los Angeles, CA

**\_\_\_\_\_20. James Baldwin states that white people in the United States of the 1960s did not belief that –**

A. schools should be integrated.

B. the military should allow blacks.

C. African-Americans were human.

D. America was a Christian nation.

**\_\_\_\_\_21. James Baldwin suggests, and most white Americans believed that this man was a racist during the early 1960s:**

A. Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

B. John Lewis

C. Malcolm X

D. Medgar Evers

**\_\_\_\_\_22. Who did the Civil Rights leader and author Lorraine Hansberry – the author of *A Raisin in the Sun* – put pressure on to commit themselves morally to helping to integrate schools in the South?**

A. Lyndon Baines Johnson

B. Orval Faubus

C. George Wallace

D. John and Robert F. Kennedy

**\_\_\_\_\_23. Where was NAACP leader Medgar Evers assassinated in 1962?**

A. Atlanta, Georgia

B. Memphis, Tennessee

C. New York City

D. In his own driveway in Mississippi.

**\_\_\_\_\_24. James Baldwin suggests that violence by whites against blacks – lynching, police brutality, or vigilante justice for example – are really examples of –**

A. brother against brother violence

B. acts of warfare

C. gang violence

D. ignorance of history

**“PURITY”**

**\_\_\_\_\_25. James Baldwin writes that the root of African-Americans anger was “rage” over the hundreds of years of slavery and oppression; however, the root of white men’s anger was –**

A. ignorance

B. terror

C. political power

D. religious beliefs

**\_\_\_\_\_26. Which two African-American film stars became leading men and sex symbols of a sort during the early 1960s?**

A. Morgan Freeman and Redd Foxx

B. Sidney Poitier and Harry Belafonte

C. Denzel Washington, Wesley Snipes

D. Chris Rock and Richard Pryor

**\_\_\_\_\_27. Why did James Baldwin and his “blonde” girlfriend walk separately and take different routes to their destinations when they dated during the 1970s in New York City?**

A. They wanted to avoid paparazzi.

B. She was a married woman.

C. To avoid being seen by her father.

D. It was safer to walk separately

because they were an interracial

couple.

**\_\_\_\_\_28. Who stated, in the middle 1960s, that within forty years, American may elect an African-American President?**

A. James Baldwin

B. Jesse Jackson

C. Robert F. Kennedy

D. Richard Nixon

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**“SELLING THE NEGRO”**

**\_\_\_\_\_29. What was the secret to prosperity in the South – and much of the rest of America – as the nation was founded?**

A. industrialization

B. precious metals and oil

C. fertile soil

D. cheap immigrant or slave labor.

**\_\_\_\_\_30. Who was murdered at one of his own rallies in 1965 – the news reaching James Baldwin as he sat down to dinner with his sister in London, England?**

A. James Meredith

B. H. Rap Brown

C. Stokely Carmichael

D. Malcolm X

**\_\_\_\_\_31. On the Dick Cavitt Show, which African-American did Baldwin suggest that white Americans might want to consider a “Freedom Fighter” instead of a criminal?**

A. Huey Newton

B. H. Rap Brown

C. Nat Turner

D. Asante

**\_\_\_\_\_32. In which Los Angeles neighborhood did arson and rioting break out in 1965?**

A. Chavez Ravine

B. Watts

C. Hollywood

D. Santa Monica

**\_\_\_\_\_33. What activity did James Baldwin claim was a distortion of reality in America?**

A. voting

B. education

C. watching television

D. sports

**\_\_\_\_\_34. What was the most segregated hour in America, according to both Baldwin and Malcolm X?**

A. midnight on a Friday night.

B. 5:00 PM on any payday.

C. high noon on Sunday.

D. the hour of judgment.

**\_\_\_\_\_35. What forms of racism in America does James Baldwin list for Dr. Paul Weiss, Sterling Professor of Philosophy at Yale University?**

A. racism in the Christian Church.

B. discrimination in labor unions.

C. school segregation and racist texts.

D. real estate discrimination keeping

African-Americans in the ghettoes.

E. All of the above, and then some.

**\_\_\_\_\_36. What does violence inflicted upon the weakest members of society reveal about the perpetrator?**

A. the extreme strength.

B. their position of domination.

C. their panic and fearfulness.

D. their intelligence level.

**\_\_\_\_\_37. Who was murdered in April of 1968 in Memphis, TN?**

A. Malcolm X

B. Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

C. Robert F. Kennedy

D. John Lennon

**\_\_\_\_\_38. One of the major problems in America which prevents people from enjoying the blessings of liberty to the fullest?**

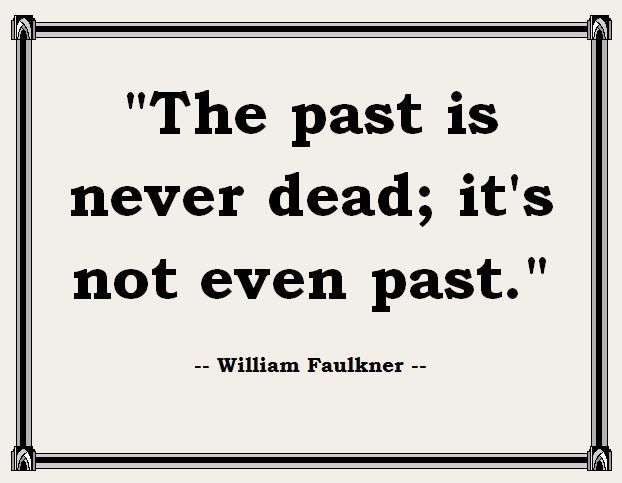
A. violence in American cities.

B. gun violence in schools.

C. overcrowded prisons.

D. all of the above.

**“I AM NOT A NIGGER.”**



**\_\_\_\_\_39. History is not the past, history is –**

A. the present.

B. power.

C. the white man’s record.

D. bias and willful misinterpretation.

**\_\_\_\_\_40. Who’s singing the last song on the soundtrack of “I Am Not Your Negro?”**

A. Billie Holiday

B. Public Enemy

C. Kendrick Lamar

D. 2 Chainz

